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BY ECF AND FAX

Hon. Frank Maas
Chief United States Magistrate Judge
United States District Court
for the Southern District of New York
Daniel Patrick Moynihan
United States Courthouse
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007-1312

Re: *Green v. State of NY*, 14-cv-02073-RJS-FM

Your Honor:

I am an Assistant Attorney General in the office of Eric T. Schneiderman, Attorney General of the State of New York, attorney for respondent in the above-referenced matter. This letter respectfully seeks a first extension of time to December 19, 2014 to respond to petitioner's *pro se* petition for a writ of habeas corpus.

The reason for this request is that additional time is needed to review the state court record, as well as the state court trial transcripts which I received a few weeks ago, and to obtain a supplemental record necessary to respond to the petition.

At present, I have been designated to respond to four other petitions: *Clark v. Superintendent*, WDNY No. 10-cv-6070 (Response due 12/15/14); *Garafolo v. Sticht*, NDNY No. 14-cv-590 (response due 10/21/14); *Guarneri v. Superintendent*, NDNY No 14-cv-416 (response due 10/28/14); and *Murray v. Dolce*, NDNY No. 14-cv-1186 (response due 12/29/14). Two of these cases have lengthy records.

Mr. Green is incarcerated and I have not spoken with him regarding this application. Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

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DECLARATION OF SERVICE

THOMAS B. LITSKY, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, declares under penalty of perjury as follows: that on October 17, 2014, he served the annexed letter by mailing a copy to petitioner at the following address:

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